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REQUEST DEPT PASS CAIRO, KHARTOUM, NIAMEY, TRIPOLI

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: MASS, CD, EG, SU, NG

SUBJ: SITUATION IN CHAD

REF: STATE 155112, CAIRO 11017, N'DJAMENA 2222, NDJAMENA 2223

1. REFTELS PLUS DETAILED MILITARY ANALYSIS JUST RECEIVED AND BEING TRANSLATED, WILL GIVE AS FULL A PICTURE OF PRESENT SITUATION AS WE HAVE AT MOMENT. WILL START SUBMITTING DAILY WRAPUP TOMORROW.

2. SADAT'S INITIATIVE IN OFFERING TO HELP WEAK NEIGHBOR MEET THREAT OF OUTSIDE AGGRESSION IS NOT ONLY COMMENDABLE BUT CAN, I BELIEVE, BE OF GREAT USE TO US. IF WER ARE PREPARED TO TO GIVE HIM MATERIEL SUPPORT, IT WOULD GIVE US A VEHICLE TO BE RESPONSIVE TO CHAD'S PLIGHT WITHOUT GETTING INVOLVED IN LONG TERM MILITARY ASSISTANCE HERE.

3. TWO ITEMS OF FACTUAL INFORMAION ARE IN ERROR IN SADAT'S PRESENTATION: A) THERE IS NO IMMEIDATE THREAT OF A MARCH ON NDJAMENA. FIGHTING IS SEVERAL HUNDRED MILES TO THE NORTH; AND B) CHADIAN REBELS INVOLVED IN

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ATTACK ON GENAYNA PROBALY CAME FROM REBEL BANDS WHICH HAVE BEEN OPERATING IN EASTERN CHAD FOR YEARS AND THUS DOES NOT REPRESENT NEW ELEMENT IN SITUATION. DESPITE THESE EXAGGERATIONS, SITUATION IN NORTHERN CHAD IS, AS STATED, VERY BAD.

4. SUGGEST FRENCH BE BROGHT INTO PICURE AS SOON

AS POSSIBLE AS THEY PALY A VITAL ROLE IN CHADIAN
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